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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
Oskar DAUNER et al. )  
Application No.: Unassigned ) Group Art Unit: Unassigned  
Filed: May 21, 2001 ) Examiner: Unassigned  
For: MOTOR VEHICLE COMMUNICATION )  
SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR )  
EXCHANGING DATA IN A )  
MOTOR VEHICLE )

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)**

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97(b), Applicants bring to the attention of the Examiner the documents listed on the attached PTO-1449. This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed within three months of the date of entry of the national stage in an international application. Applicants respectfully requests that the Examiner consider the listed documents and evidence that consideration by making appropriate notations on the attached form.

To comply with the requirement for a concise explanation of relevance of the cited documents, these documents were identified by the European Patent Office and cited on an interternational search report in the corresponding international application, or were identified in the course of prior art search conducted on behalf of the assignee.

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should be determined that the listed documents do not constitute "prior art" under United States law, Applicants reserve the right to present to the Office the relevant facts and law regarding the appropriate status of such documents.

Applicants further reserve the right to take appropriate action to establish the patentability of the disclosed invention over the listed documents, should the documents be applied against the claims of the present application.

Except for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. §1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No.

50-0310. This paragraph is intended to be a **CONSTRUCTIVE PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME** in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)(3).

Respectfully submitted,

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